



TXPHIN: TB Reporting

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What is TXPHIN?

Public Health Information Network

- Developed by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention to enhance communications across public health entities.
- A secure online network portal used by public health staff across Texas to transmit confidential TB patient data, forms, and reports.
- The vision of PHIN is an integrated healthcare and public health system using information effectively to advance population health and well-being.



Paper Reporting VS TXPHIN

TRADITIONAL METHODS



NEW WAY



How Does TXPHIN Help Me?

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TXPHIN

- Most Secure Method of Transmitting PHI (Protected Health Information)
- Easy to Send Through Secured Network
- Easier to Manage and Store Electronic Data
- Only Seconds to Send and Receive
- Reduced Potential for Misinterpreted Data
- Faster and Easier to Work with Data in Digital Form

TXPHIN: Frequent Documents

- Includes, but not limited to:
 - Incident reports
 - Cohort Reviews
 - Annual Reports
 - Target Testing reports
 - Monthly Correctional TB reports
 - RVCT
 - TB-340
 - TB-341

TXPHIN Setup

Requirements:

1. Computer



2. Internet



3. WinZip



How to Get Setup

Email:

PHINAccess@dshs.state.tx.us

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TB/HIV/STD Unit

TXPHIN Access Request

Applicant Information

Employee Name: _____

Location: _____

Department: _____

*LRP (Local Responsible Party): _____
*If you are unsure who your LRP is, consult with your TB or CD Program Manager

☐ I am a new user requesting access for the first time
or
☐ I already have TXPHIN access and am requesting a change of access

Access Areas Requested

☐ TB-Surveillance ☐ TB-Chapter 89 ☐ TB-Target Testing ☐ TB-Genotyping
☐ TB-NET ☐ TB-IJN ☐ TB-TDCJ ☐ Other (Indicate below)

Other: _____

Access Areas Defined

TB-Surveillance: Central TB reporting area for RVCTs, case, and suspect reporting	TB-Genotyping: TB genotyping program area
TB-Chapter 89: TB reporting area for correctional facilities	TB-NET: TB Network program area
TB-Target Testing: TB reporting for target testing	TB-IJN: TB Interjurisdictional program area

Employee Signature

Date

LRP Signature (Local Responsible Party)

Date

Note to LRP: By signing the above, you agree to grant the specified TXPHIN access to the employee listed above.

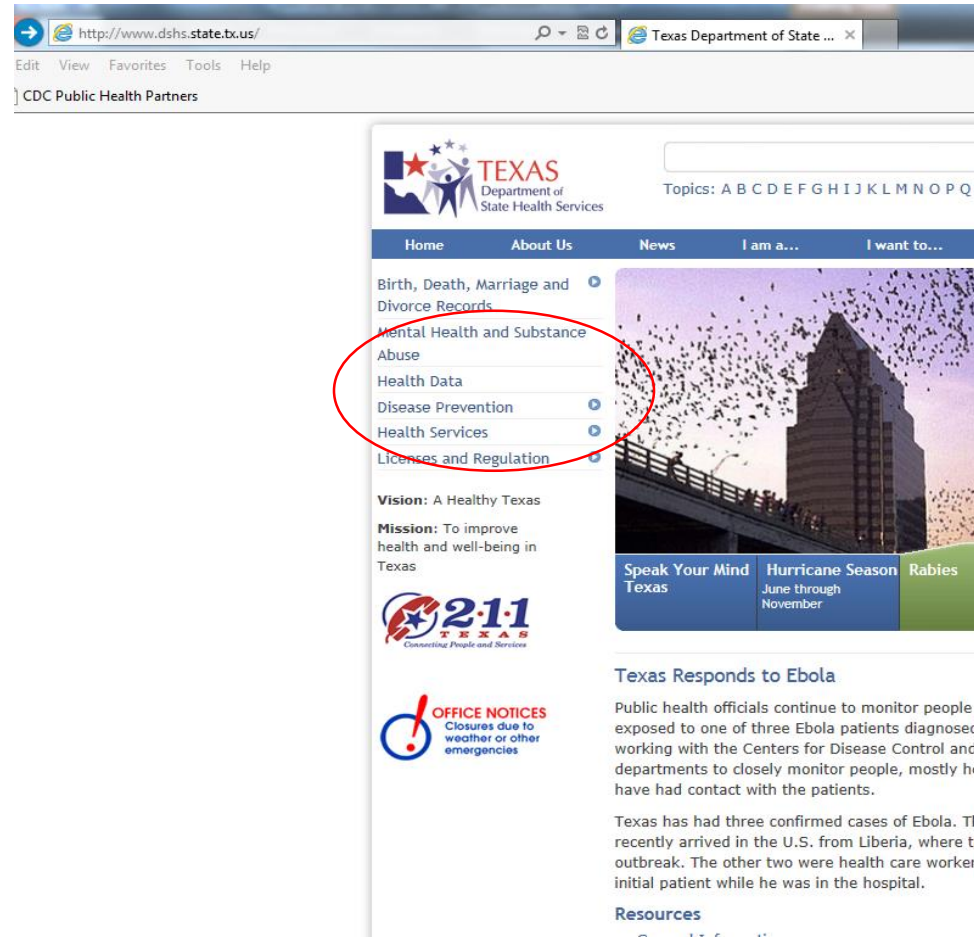
- Send completed form via email to: PHINAccess@dshs.state.tx.us
- Please ensure that all section, signatures, and dates are completed before sending
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Questions?

TB New Staff Orientation

TX DSHS Website Tour

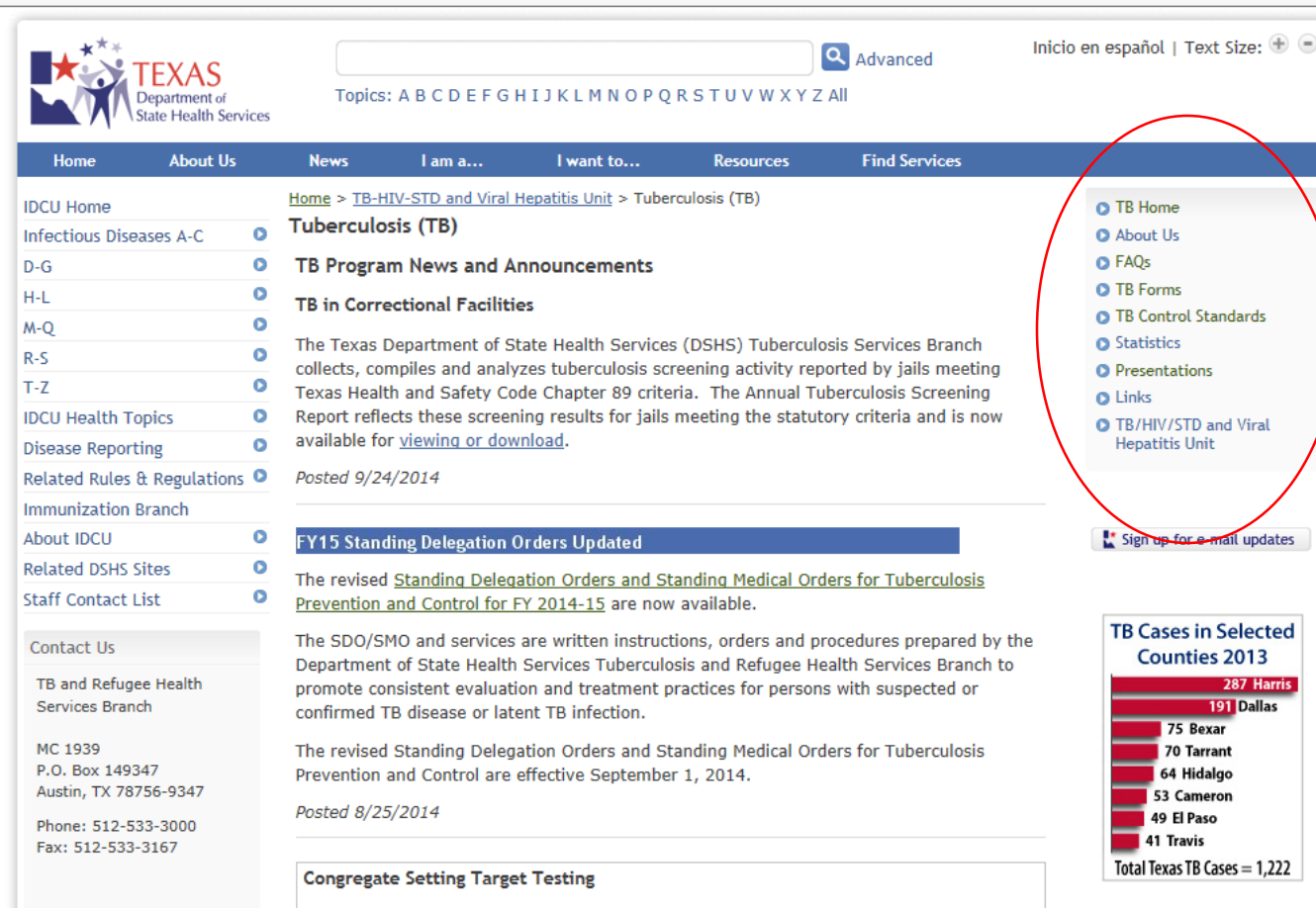
- <http://www.dshs.texas.gov/>



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- www.texasTB.org



The screenshot displays the Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) website. The header includes the DSHS logo, a search bar, and links for "Inicio en español" and "Text Size". The main navigation bar contains links for Home, About Us, News, I am a..., I want to..., Resources, and Find Services. The left sidebar lists various health topics and services, including IDCU Home, Infectious Diseases A-C, D-G, H-L, M-Q, R-S, T-Z, IDCU Health Topics, Disease Reporting, Related Rules & Regulations, Immunization Branch, About IDCU, Related DSHS Sites, and Staff Contact List. The main content area is titled "Tuberculosis (TB)" and features a section for "TB Program News and Announcements" with a link to "TB in Correctional Facilities". A blue banner indicates "FY15 Standing Delegation Orders Updated". Below this, a paragraph explains the revised Standing Delegation Orders and Standing Medical Orders for Tuberculosis Prevention and Control for FY 2014-15. A "Contact Us" section provides information for the TB and Refugee Health Services Branch, including an address in Austin, TX, and phone/fax numbers. A "Congregate Setting Target Testing" section is also visible. On the right side, a red circle highlights a navigation menu with links to TB Home, About Us, FAQs, TB Forms, TB Control Standards, Statistics, Presentations, Links, and TB/HIV/STD and Viral Hepatitis Unit. Below this menu is a "Sign up for e-mail updates" button. At the bottom right, a bar chart titled "TB Cases in Selected Counties 2013" shows the number of cases for various counties, with Harris County having the highest number at 287.

TB Cases in Selected Counties 2013

County	Cases
Harris	287
Dallas	191
Bexar	75
Tarrant	70
Hidalgo	64
Cameron	53
El Paso	49
Travis	41

Total Texas TB Cases = 1,222

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- Lab services
- TB Work Plan
- SDOs
- Change in personnel form
- FAQs
- Contacts